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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CALCULATING THE SPATIAL-TEMPORAL EFFECTS OF CLIMATE AND OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS ON ANIMALS

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